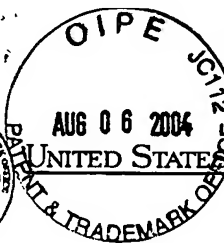


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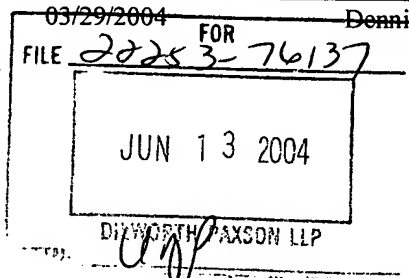


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- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
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The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

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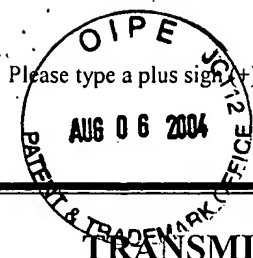
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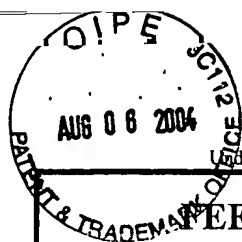
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SUBTOTAL (1)

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2. EXTRA CLAIMS FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

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FEE CALCULATION (continued)**3. ADDITIONAL FEES**

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1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month	
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1403	290	2403	145	Request for oral hearing	
1451	1,510			Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1453	1,330	2453	665	Petition to revive - unintentional	
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Other fee (specify)					

Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid**SUBTOTAL (3)**

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